

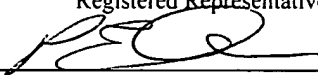
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Case No. 10200/11-1

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

James M. Cleeves

Serial No: 08/581,347

Examiner: V. Portner

Filed: December 29, 1995

Group Art Unit: 1645

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office Action dated July 20, 2000 for a period of two month(s).

- ☒ Applicant is:
- ☐ a small entity, verified statement is:
    - ☐ attached
    - ☐ already filed
  - ☒ other than small entity

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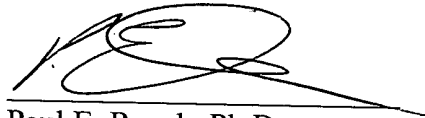
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Five Months	\$1,890	\$945

**Fee Payment**

- ☐ Attached is a check for \$\_\_\_\_\_ for the Petition fee.
- ☒ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.
- ☒ Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: December 20, 2000



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